

Agency Radiologists

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Further to your Freedom of Information Act request, please find the Trust's response(s) below:

Please be aware that the Royal Devon University Healthcare NHS Foundation Trust (Royal Devon) has existed since 1st April 2022 following the integration of the Northern Devon Healthcare NHS Trust (known as Northern Services) and the Royal Devon and Exeter NHS Foundation Trust (known as Eastern Services).

I am writing to request, under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the following:

1. How much have you spent on agency radiologists in each of the last five years? Answer: Please see below representing Royal Devon's Eastern & Northern Services:

Eastern Services:

- 2019: £160,868
- 2020: £370,895
- 2021: £447,775
- 2022: £594,104
- 2023: £584,684

Northern Services:

- 2018/19: £166,090
- 2019/20: £236,868
- 2020/21: £144,995
- 2021/22: £207,819
- 2022/23: £193,166

2. What was the most expensive agency radiologist shift last year? Answer: 2022-2023 - £723 (Sonographer Nights/Saturday).